

COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)						Docket No. 86655-15
In Re Application Of: Steve ROCHON						
Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.	
09/963,487	September 27, 2001	Christopher P. GREY	28291	2616	8843	
Invention: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR CONGESTION AVOIDANCE IN PACKET SWITCHING DEVICES						
<u>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>						
This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>May 17, 2006</u> in the above-identified application.						
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):						
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from: <u>August 17, 2006</u> <i>Date</i>			until: <u>September 17, 2006</u> <i>Date</i>			
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.						
The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:						
CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	
TOTAL CLAIMS	56 -	58 =	0	x \$25.00	\$0.00	
INDEP. CLAIMS	5 -	6 =	0	x \$100.00	\$0.00	
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00	
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$60.00	
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$60.00	
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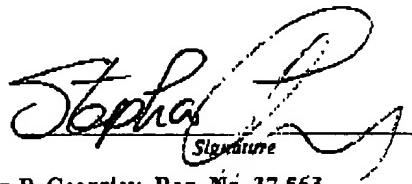
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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of _____ for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-2550 in the amount of \$60.00
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2550
- Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
 - Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-2550
- Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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